

The Office of the Governor **Proclamation**

Executive Department State of Idaho State Capitol Boise

WHEREAS, Mike Johnson has been a dedicated public servant for 34 years beginning as a deputy coroner with Ada County in 1972; and

WHEREAS, in 1974, Mike started his law enforcement career with the Ada County Sheriff's Department as a part-time boat patrol officer, and later that year was made a full-time sheriff's deputy in Boise County; and

WHEREAS, in 1978, Mike was elected Ada County Coroner and, in 1984, Mike was elected to the Ada County Commission; and

WHEREAS, in 1990, Mike was appointed as the United States Marshal for Idaho by President George H.W. Bush; and

WHEREAS, after the September 11, 2001 terrorist attacks Mike further served the people of Idaho through effectively elevating the Boise Airport Police to the level of preparedness necessary to meet the threats of modern terrorism; and

WHEREAS, Mike Johnson has served the people of Idaho with distinction through effective leadership at the city, county and federal levels of government; and

WHEREAS, Mike Johnson is meritorious of the esteem and gratitude of all Idahoans for his years of public service;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, C.L. "BUTCH" OTTER, Governor of the State of Idaho, do hereby proclaim January 26, 2007 to be

MIKE JOHNSON DAY

in Idaho.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Idaho at the Capitol in Boise on this 22^{nd} day of January in the year of our Lord two-thousand and seven and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred thirty-first and of the Statehood of Idaho the one hundred seventeenth.

C.L. "BUTCH" OTTER GOVERNOR

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